



MUSIC

At Haydon Wick, we make it a priority to foster creativity, imagination, a love of music and appreciation for talent through the power of the performance arts.

Children are encouraged in a variety of ways, through:

- class lessons,
- performance opportunities including assemblies and concerts
- Music Assemblies for each key stage every week, which focus upon singing well, music history and understanding,
- A variety of extra-curricular activities including KS1 choir, KS2 choir, class recorder lessons and instrumental lessons
- Musical listening opportunities that range across time and culture, including several Music Roadshow performances each year, exposing the children to a massive variety of music styles and instrumental sounds.



KS1:

Pupils should be taught to:

- Use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants/rhymes
- Replay, create and recognise simple rhythmic patterns
- Play a variety of tuned and un-tuned instruments musically and be able to recognise and correctly name them
- Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music
- Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music.

KS2:

Pupils should be taught to:

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and have some awareness of traditional staff and other types of created musical notations
- Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians
- Develop an understanding of the history of music.

